

June 17, 1977

Dr. R. S. Laves
3043 East Sunshine
Springfield, Missouri 65804

Dear Dr. Laves:

Personnel from the City's Water Pollution Control Section made a visual inspection of your property as of the above date. That inspection revealed that a pollutant discharge was occurring from that property, apparently from the kennel area at the rear of your building. Please be advised that such a discharge is in violation of City, State and Federal Water Pollution Control Laws, and a violation of City Health Ordinances. Be further advised that the Missouri Clean Water Law carries provisions for extremely severe penalties for unlawful discharge of water contaminants; up to ten thousand dollars per day for each day or part thereof the violation occurred and continues to occur.

This office would advise you to cease discharge immediately, and to dispose of such wastes in a proper waste treatment system. Please contact the Department of Building Regulations to determine what permits might be necessary to implement the required changes. Please contact this office when the changes are complete so that an inspection can be made to determine compliance.

If you need further assistance or have any questions, please do not hesitate to call.

Yours truly,

Gary J. Pendergrass
Water Pollution Control Inspector II
Surveillance & Enforcement

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cc: Mr. John R. Nixon, Regional Administrator, Department of Natural Resources
Mr. Jack Newman, Director of Health
Mr. Dick Nichols, Director of Building Regulations
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